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2011 QUAHAUG TRANSPLANTS ARE SCHEDULED FOR THE FOLLOWING DATES:

Funded Transplants

Tuesday, May 3, 2011 Greenwich Cove

Thursday, May 5, 2011 Mill Cove

Tuesday, May 17, 2011 Greenwich Cove

Shellfishermen that assist in dumping the clams into the respective management areas will be paid \$7 per 50 pound bag
Shellfishermen that do not assist in dumping the clams will be paid \$5 per 50 pound bag.

Volunteer Transplants

Thursday, May 19, 2011 Outer Greenwich Cove

Tuesday, May 24, 2011 Bristol Harbor

Shellfishermen will be asked to dump the clams from their own vessel into the respective management areas.

Additional Information

<http://www.dem.ri.gov/news/2011/pr/0425112.htm>

- All the shellfish transplants will take place between 8 a.m. and noon.
- Shellfishermen wishing to take part in the transplants should report to the on-scene DEM enforcement patrol boat by 8 a.m. on the day of the transplants. The officers will collect licenses to facilitate accounting.
- Transplanted shellfish will be unavailable for harvest until December 2011.
- A percentage of the clams harvested will be transplanted into both Winnapaug and Potter Ponds.
- Allen Harbor damage monies have been exhausted as of 2010.